

In the Claims:

We claim:

1. A method of limiting access to a web page by an operator of a network kiosk comprising the steps of:

(a) receiving a request to display the web page by the kiosk;

(b) determining an address of the web page;

(c) determining a current time;

(d) determining an unacceptable period of access to the web page; and

(e) preventing access to the web page if current time falls within the unacceptable period.

2. The method as recited in claim 1, wherein step c comprises the substep of:

(c-1) determining a current date and time of day.

3. A method of protecting personal information in a web page displayed by a networked kiosk comprising the steps of:

receiving a request to display the web page by the kiosk;

determining an address of the web page;

comparing the address to a list of addresses;

if the address is in the list of addresses,

determining a current time of day and a current date;

determining an unacceptable period of access to the web page; and

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preventing access to the web page if the current time of day and current date fall within the unacceptable period.

4. A network kiosk comprising:
a display for displaying web pages;
an input device for selecting the web pages; and
a computer which receives a request to display a first web page from the input device, determines an address of the first web page, determines a current time, determines an unacceptable period of access to the first web page, and prevents access to the first web page if current time falls within the unacceptable period.

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